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# EPISCOPAL MATTERS

## Why England Withdrew Her Help.

### BISHOP WILLIS' IDEAS

#### The Living Church Gives a Resume of the Discussion About Honolulu See.

THE following from the Living Church, the American organ of the Episcopal Church, is of interest:

The following "memorandum" issued by the S. P. G. relative to the Bishopric of Honolulu is published in the (London) Church Times, and has reference to the protest made by that Bishop against the action of the S. P. G. in discontinuing their support of his see from June, 1890, the Bishop maintaining that such support ought to be continued until the American General Convention of 1901 might be able to arrange for its continuance:

This Diocese, founded in 1861, was brought into existence without consultation with the society by a special organization formed in England. The funds raised were insufficient, and the society was asked to contribute and to be regarded "in the light of subscriber to the support of the Mission." It immediately made an annual grant of \$250 for the support of three clergymen, "one main object being to secure an adequate provision for the spiritual wants of British residents and sailors."

The Bishop was supported by King Kamehameha IV., who continued his aid until his death in 1863. His successor continued to subscribe \$400 per annum, and Queen Emma, the Dowager, gave \$100 per annum.

In 1870 Bishop Staley resigned, and in 1871 King Kamehameha VI. appealed to the Archbishop of Canterbury to consecrate a Bishop for his islands. Bishop Willis accordingly was consecrated in 1872, but a few months after his arrival the king died, and his grant ceased and has never been renewed.

The special organization formed in 1861 had lost its novelty and was unable to support the work which it had undertaken. Bishop Willis found himself without an assured income and the Bishopric seemed likely to be suspended. The society came to his aid, and has been the means of saving the see from extinction. It provided an income of £450 per annum for the Bishop, which has been continued for nearly a quarter of a century, and has saved the Diocese from falling out of the list of Anglican sees in Foreign Parts.

On February 3, 1899, the Bishop applied for a renewal of the society's grants for 1900, and stated in view of the cessation of the islands to America that he saw no more reason for altering the status of the Anglican Church in Hawaii than in the case of Madagascar on its seizure by France. His lordship made no allowance for the fact that the island fell under the care of a branch of the Anglican Communion in America, whereas in France no such condition existed.

Before this letter was received, on February 23, 1899, the Standing Committee requested "an expression of the Bishop's views on the question of the absorption of the islands into the American Church, with a view to the withdrawal of the society from the Hawaiian Islands."

To this the Bishop replied by referring to a letter which he was sending to the Archbishop of Canterbury by the same mail on the subject. In this letter, dated March 29, 1899, the Bishop outlined the situation and left it to His Grace to make such communications to the society on the Bishop's behalf as the circumstances might require. He further placed himself in His Grace's hands, so that his occupancy of the see might not stand in the way of an arrangement being come to between his own departure and the arrival of the first American Bishop, and that the transfer should be completed by the end of the year (1899).

His Grace the Archbishop, in an interview with the secretary, expressed himself in favor of the withdrawal of the English Mission from the islands and undertook to arrange for its transfer to the American Church in the time proposed.

In May, 1899, the society provided the usual grant to the Diocese of Honolulu up to June, 1900, being six months beyond the period within which the Bishop had expected that the transfer would be made. His Grace the President was informed of the provision that was made, and it was stated that the withdrawal was in accordance with the society's principles, and with the precedent set in 1785, when the society withdrew from the United States.

Bishop Willis was informed by letter, dated May 19, 1899, more than thirteen months in advance of the withdrawal of the grant. The following is an extract from the secretary's letter to the Bishop:

"The Standing Committee have had the advantage of the opinion of the Archbishop of Canterbury on the subject of the transfer of the Ecclesiastical arrangements in the Diocese of Honolulu to the Church of the United States. They understand that, in your opinion, the transfer could be effected in the current year. Following the precedent of the society more than a hundred years ago, when it withdrew from the United States, it has made arrangements to continue the existing grant to the Diocese for the first six months of 1900, if it should be found necessary to do so."

The action of the Standing Committee was reported to the President on the same day, May 19, 1899, and acknowledged by His Grace on the next day.

On June 22, 1899, the Bishop wrote that he had found out that he was mistaken in thinking that the American Church was desirous of assuming the society's responsibilities in regard to the see—that the House of Bishops had not as yet formed an intention of doing so. The Bishop of New York, who had recently visited Honolulu, was in London in March, 1899, and expressed his opinion that the action of the society was "fair," and stated that the American Church was ready at any time to take charge of the ecclesiastical interests of Honolulu by putting them under the care of the Bishop of California.

On April 5, 1900, Bishop Willis' contention and the opinion of Bishop Potter having been brought before the Standing Committee, the following letter was directed to be sent to the Bishop of New York:

April 5, 1900.  
My Dear Lord Bishop: I am directed by the Standing Committee to ask you

to inform them of the exact position of affairs in Honolulu.

The society, as I believe you are aware, has provided a grant to that Diocese up to June 30 of the present year. More than twelve months notice was given to Bishop Willis, who was informed that, the islands having passed to the Government of the United States, the Society could not be responsible for the work of the Church in Honolulu after that date.

I am informed by the Bishop of London, who had an interview with Your Lordship last month, that the position taken by the society is regarded by you as a fair and just one, and that the Church of the United States is able and willing to take charge of the islands at any time, placing them in the charge of the Bishop of California for the present.

Bishop Willis, on the other hand, protests that the United States Church can do nothing until the General Convention in 1901, and claims meanwhile the continuance of the society's grants.

Your Lordship will greatly oblige the Standing Committee by telling them what is the exact position of affairs, and how these apparently contradictory statements can be reconciled.

I remain, etc.,  
HENRY W. TUCKER,  
Secretary.

To which the Bishop of New York replied as follows:

New York, April 20, 1900.  
My Dear Preliminary Tucker: Bishop Willis is mistaken. It is entirely competent to the American Church to take over the charge of Church work in Honolulu at any moment. We cannot, indeed, elect a Bishop of Honolulu until the meeting of the General Convention, but our canons provide a mode by which the Presiding Bishop may assign to any neighboring Bishop the care of territory which needs Episcopal supervision.

Bishop Willis insists upon making certain terms with the American Church before his withdrawal. He has not the slightest right to take any such position. The American Church will not force him out, but when the Church of England, by whatever process, surrenders the administration of church interests in that part of the world, the American Church will assume and provide for what is necessary in the way of Episcopal duty in its own discretion. You will recognize the obvious reasonableness of this.

A copy of this letter was sent to the President, and the Standing Committee on May 3, 1900, having considered it, determined to abide by their former resolution, and informed the Bishop that the grant, as notified to him twelve months before, would cease on June 30, 1900.

The society is not concerned with the trust-deeds under which the cathedral and other properties are held, and obviously the matters relating thereto might already have been brought before the High Court in the islands, before which tribunal they will ultimately have to come.

It was further resolved, on the motion of Lord Stanmore, "That the Standing Committee see no grounds for departing from the decision at which they have already arrived."

**BIG DEAL IN MAUI LANDS AND CATTLE**  
Henry Waterhouse and Company Buy the Kahikinui Ranch.

Robert Shingle has just effected a big deal of cattle lands and cattle on Maui by which Henry Waterhouse & Company have taken over the Kahikinui ranch and the cattle roaming over it from A. Enos & Co. The deal involves the transfer of about \$100,000 and is one of the largest sales of the kind for many years. Mr. Shingle went to Maui on Tuesday last to take over the ranch for Waterhouse & Co. The Maui News contains the following statement of the transfer:

Attorney George Hons of Walluku has just closed a deal between Waterhouse & Co. of Honolulu and A. Enos & Co. of Walluku, involving the sale of Kahikinui ranch and cattle by Enos & Co. to the Honolulu company at a price said to exceed \$100,000.

Kahikinui ranch consists of about 5,500 acres of fee simple land and about 25,000 acres of leased lands, on which a five year lease is to run. There are estimated to be 4,000 head of cattle on the ranch. Waterhouse & Co. will also take over the butcher shops of Enos & Co. in Walluku.

It is the purpose of the new company to find a market for all their beef cattle on Maui. As the ranch contains fine pasture and turns out the best beef on the island, this will be good news to the beef-eating citizens of Maui, who have heretofore had to be content with very poor beef, the best going to the Honolulu market.

It is rumored about town that a new incorporation will be organized to take over the purchase and that possibly Ulupalakua will be taken into the deal, some of the owners of Ulupalakua being largely interested in the present deal.

**USED GIANT POWDER.**  
Kaonohi Frightfully Mangled at Kanao, Maui.  
(Special Correspondence.)  
WAILUKU, Maui, Dec. 1.—A Hawaiian named Kaonohi wet with a frightful accident while fishing with giant powder off Kanao on Saturday. While gazing at the fish with a lighted fuse in his hand, he forgot himself and the explosion took place with a nearly fatal result.

Both hands were entirely severed from his arms and his face and breast were badly mutilated. Dr. Dinegar of Kihel was summoned. It is doubtful whether Kaonohi will recover. Within the last three months there have been several serious accidents among the native fishermen of Makena, Kahikinui and vicinity caused by the illegal use of giant powder.

**MANAGER CROCK HURT**  
Injured While Riding on the Ulupalakua Stock Ranch.  
(Special Correspondence.)  
WAILUKU, Maui, Dec. 1.—L. R. Crock, manager of the Ulupalakua ranch, met with quite a serious accident while driving in some stock on the ranch. The curb-chain of his bridle breaking while he was riding down the steep slope of Prospect hill, he lost control of his horse, which ran viciously down the incline until he stumbled, thus causing himself and rider to turn a somersault.

Dr. Dinegar was summoned but declared that no bones were broken, though Mr. Crock's shoulder is badly strained, and he was generally badly bruised and shaken.

**BY AUTHORITY.**  
REGULATION REGARDING THE INTERMENT OF THE DEAD IN THE DISTRICT OF HONOLULU.

Whereas, That there having been no place prepared for burial of the dead as required by law at the expiration of the period set, October 1st, 1900, and an extension of time having been granted for such special burial permit until cemeteries as prescribed by law should be available, and now that such feasible arrangements are an accomplished fact, therefore

Resolved, That no permit for interments shall be granted within the city limits except to those already possessing burial plots.

This regulation shall go into effect from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1901.

C. B. WOOD,  
President Board of Health.  
Honolulu, Nov. 7, 1900. 5707

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE**  
First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii.—Before Humphreys, Judge, at Chambers.

Lillian Lee Newton, an infant, by Albert E. Judd, her next friend, plaintiff, vs. George H. Newton and Sarah W. Newton, his wife; Flora A. Stevens, a widow; Caroline N. Clark, a widow; and Juliette Z. Forbes and George W. Forbes, her husband, defendants.—Bill for Partition.

**NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.**  
By order and decree of the Hon. A. S. Humphreys, First Judge of the First Circuit Court of the Territory of Hawaii, sitting at chambers in the above entitled cause, and as commissioner appointed by said court, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, at noon on Wednesday, the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1900, at the front entrance of the Judiciary building in Honolulu in the Island of Oahu, the several parcels of land situate in said Honolulu and hereunder described:

Section 1—Commencing at the east corner of Queen and Kekaulike streets and running:

1. North 57° 10' east, true, 19 feet along Kekaulike street;
2. South 3° 00' east, true, 12.7 feet along land sold by M. Kekuanaoa to Pulunui;
3. South 84° 00' west, true, 13.5 feet along land sold by M. Kekuanaoa to Opaui;
4. South 1° 15' east, true, 63.5 feet along same to mauka line of Queen street;
5. North 28° 35' west, true, 2.5 feet along Queen street; thence
6. North 3° 00' west, true, 65 feet along Queen street to initial point. Containing an area of 5.1000 acres.

Section 2—Commencing at the north corner of Queen and Kekaulike streets and running:

1. North 3° 00' west, true, 178.5 feet along Queen street to the south corner of section 3;
2. South 10° 55' east, true, 130 feet along L. C. Award, 170 to Kekuanaoa;
3. South 2° 30' east, true, 40 feet along land sold by Kekuanaoa to Pulunui to Kekaulike street, thence
4. South 57° 10' west, true, 19.6 feet along Kekaulike street to initial point, containing an area of 4.1000 acres.

Section 3—Commencing at an angle in the line of Queen street on the mauka side, which point bears south 54° 40' west, true, 264.6 feet, from an iron pin at the south corner of King and Queen streets, near the Hoolihimanu bridge, and running:

1. South 3° 00' east, true, 167 feet along mauka side of Queen street to north corner of section 2;
2. North 47° 00' east, true, 99.2 feet along L. C. Award 170 to Kekuanaoa;
3. North 46° 35' east, true, 124 feet along same;
4. North 17° 30' west, true, 113.7 feet along part of L. C. Award 11225 to W. L. Lee, sold to Armstrong to Queen street; thence
5. South 54° 40' west, true, 166 feet along Queen street to initial point, containing an area of 53.1000 acres.

Which pieces or parcels of land were originally part of Land Commissioners' Award No. 11225, Royal Patent 18794. Also:

Section 4—An undivided half of the following piece or parcel of land situate at the south corner of Nuuanu and Merchant streets in said Honolulu, being a portion of Land Commissioners' Award 626, apana 1, to S. Reynolds, bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the north corner of this lot at the south angle of Nuuanu and Merchant streets on new street line and running:

1. South 23° 10' east, true, 13.1 feet along new line of Merchant street;
2. South 71° 5' west, true, 27.25 feet along L. C. Award 626, apana 3, to S. Reynolds, along police station lot;
3. North 22° 10' west, true, 75.5 feet along Segoken lot to Nuuanu street;
4. North 67° 40' east, true, 19.17 feet along Nuuanu street to initial point, containing an area of 1.800 square feet.

The land and premises situate at the south angle of Nuuanu and Merchant streets, of which an undivided half will be sold, as above, has for the owners of the other undivided half the heirs of the estate of the late Hon. James W. Austin of Boston.

Further information concerning the said parcels of land may be obtained by application at my office, room 206, Judd building, in Honolulu.

The titles of the land to be sold as above mentioned have been adjudicated by the court. Sales will be subject to confirmation by the court. Deeds at expense of purchasers.

ROYAL D. MEAD,  
Commissioner.  
Dated Honolulu, October 30, 1900.

Pursuant to an order made this day by the Honorable A. S. Humphreys in the above entitled suit, the said sale has been postponed to Wednesday, the 5th day of December, 1900, at 12 o'clock noon of said day, at same place.  
Dated November 26, 1900. 5713

**NOTICE.**  
LAU YIN and LAU TONG give notice that they have been legally appointed attorneys in fact for Lau Lam of Hongkong, heir of the late Lau Chong, and that they have a full power of attorney to this effect issued at Hongkong.

LAU YIN.  
LAU TONG.  
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**RUBBER STAMPS**  
At the Gazette Office